

CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Presentation of National Volunteer's Week Proclamation

DATE: April 16, 2003

PREPARED BY: JERRY J. ADAMS, CHIEF OF POLICE

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That Mayor Hitchcock present a proclamation proclaiming the period of April 27 – May 3, 2003 as National Volunteer's Week in the City of Lodi.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Mayor has been requested to present a proclamation proclaiming the period of April 27 – May 3, 2003 as National Volunteer's Week in the City of Lodi. Chief Jerry Adams will attend this meeting to accept the proclamation, along with Police Volunteer Supervisor, Jeanie Biskup representing the Lodi Police Partners.

The Lodi Police Partners Program has been in operation for nine years, providing endless hours of service to the Lodi Police Department. In 2002 Partners donated 28,031 hours to the Police Department with an estimated fiscal benefit of approximately \$431,000. (Please refer to the attached report.)

The Lodi Police Chaplaincy Program was initiated in February of 1994. This dedicated group of local clergy is an essential part of the Lodi Police Department. They respond to the public and police personnel, providing counseling and support in times of crisis and tragedy.

The Lodi Police Reserve Program, formerly referred to as Auxiliary Police Officers, has existed since early in the history of the Department. Many of today's full-time officers started out as Reserves, and many have also gone on to work for a variety of State and Federal agencies. There are currently five Reserve Officers volunteering their services with the Lodi Police Department.

The Lodi Police Explorer Post is a division of the Boy Scouts of America. At the present time thirteen local youths are active in the Explorer Post. Many of our Explorer Scouts go on to become Reserve Officers, and like the Reserves, they often become full-time Police Officers for Lodi and other cities. Our Chief of Police started out some thirty years ago as a Lodi Police Explorer Scout. We also have a Lodi High R.O.P. Police Academy Program for young people interested in a law enforcement career.

FUNDING: None required


Jerry J. Adams
Chief of Police

cc: City Attorney

APPROVED: _____


H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

PARTNERS

Lodi Police Volunteers
Year End Report 2002

PARTNERS ANNUAL HOURS **28,031**

Annual Dollar Benefit to City of Lodi **\$431,000**
(Based on National Non-Agricultural Wage Rate)

PARTNERS Volunteer hours are equal to
13.5 full-time staff members

PARTNERS Program has been in operation 9 years

9 Year Total Hours of Service 221,658

Total Dollar Benefit of City of Lodi - Over 3.3 Million

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Lodi Police Partners Patrol Activities 2002

DUTIES	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Vacation House Checks	117	133	119	126	151	165	214	225	189	239	129	166	1973
Abandoned Autos	388	402	392	412	449	476	521	551	465	536	411	405	5408
Transport Equip./Staff	77	59	61	49	56	68	83	96	56	59	84	39	787
Traffic Control	9	23	19	21	32	28	11	2	13	32	16	23	229
Citations Issued	7	8	5	4	7	9	7	9	2	8	4	6	76
Evidence Transport	28	24	18	26	20	28	26	23	36	37	23	32	321
Welfare Checks	1	0	2	3	0	2	0	0	3	2	3	1	17
Found Property	18	16	12	18	15	12	9	8	11	13	8	6	146
Vehicles Towed	38	41	39	36	32	39	42	36	52	69	51	33	508
Sale Sign Removal	78	58	63	59	88	79	121	115	81	104	49	65	960
Parking Problems	7	2	2	4	5	3	1	3	2	5	3	1	38
School & Library Patrols	44	101	29	74	69	77	128	159	88	105	89	73	1036
Vehicles 4-sale	2	1	9	5	6	11	3	0	12	4	6	13	72
Other Misc. Duties	38	25	29	15	36	51	36	21	19	29	41	27	367
Graffiti Photos	6	1	3	2	6	2	8	7	10	11	9	28	93
Subpoena Service	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	7	10	11	16	28	15	87
Total Miles Traveled	3198	2834	3156	3332	3098	3121	3742	3602	3039	3698	3311	3369	39500